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HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE

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AIR TECHNICIAN VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT #04-246A

Military Pay Technician 80480000 FC: 150011 GS-0545-06 \$32,217 - \$41,887 pa

ANNOUNCEMENT DATE: 29 October 2004 *CLOSING DATE: 22 February 2005

SELECTING OFFICIAL: Comptroller

APPOINTMENT FEATURES: Excepted Service Enlisted Grade

POSITION LOCATION: 163rd Refueling Wing – March ARB, CA

This position is located in the Air National Guard (ANG), Comptroller Division, Entitlements Branch. Its purpose is to determine and process military pay entitlements in support of an ANG base and assigned geographically separated units and maintain computerized programs which account for workday obligations.

- 1. **AREA OF CONSIDERATION**: **Nationwide.** All applications will be accepted; however, first consideration will be given to current permanent technicians of the California Air National Guard.
- 2. **CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT**: a. Must qualify for appropriate level of security clearance required by the position. b. Must wear appropriate military uniform including required grooming standards. c. Must maintain a compatible military unit, grade, and job assignment as required by current directives. d. Must participate in PD/EFT (Direct Deposit).
- 3. MILITARY GRADE AVAILABLE: ENLISTED GRADE THROUGH E-6. PRIOR TO EFFECTIVE DATE OF PERSONNEL ACTION, SELECTEE MUST OCCUPY A COMPATIBLE MILITARY POSITION WITHIN A COMPATIBLE UNIT IN ENLISTED GRADE THROUGH E-6 OR HAVE A COMPATABILITY WAIVER APPROVED BY NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU. GRADE INVERSION IS NOT ALLOWED. IF THIS IS A SUPERVISORY POSITION, THE MILITARY GRADE OF SELECTEE MUST BE EQUAL TO OR HIGHER THAN THE MILITARY GRADE OF THOSE TO BE SUPERVISED.

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NOTICE: All National Guard applicants must state Unit of Military Assignment, Military grade and MOS/AFSC.

4. QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

- a. **General:** Administrative or clerical experience, education, or training that demonstrates the ability to make arithmetic computations, to use regulatory material, and to communicate with individuals at different levels in order to assist and provide information.
- b. **Specialized:** Must have 9 months specialized experience which demonstrates the applicant has knowledge of DOD military pay manuals and appropriate systems manuals; experience computing military pay actions; experience in applying rules, regulations, laws, precedents, and decisions to military pay actions; explaining and interpreting various types of rules, regulations, and procedures; in applying directives and regulations to process and verify pay actions for accuracy; experience which required the applicant to adhere to various deadlines within a set time frame; and experience investigating pay inquiries, analyzing information and taking corrective action as necessary.

CREDITING NATIONAL GUARD EXPERIENCE: NATIONAL GUARD SERVICE MAY BE CREDITED AS FULL-TIME EXPERIENCE WHEN EVALUATED AGAINST THE QUALIFICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A MILITARY TECHNICIAN POSITION. EXPERIENCE MUST BE DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE POSITION AND MUST BE DESCRIBED IN THE WORK EXPERIENCE SECTION OF THE APPLICATION. THE LEVEL OF EXPERIENCE WILL BE DETERMINED BY THE ACTUAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES PERFORMED.

c. Substitution of Education for Specialized Experience: High school graduate or the equivalent may be substituted for 3 months of specialized experience. Education above the high school level may be substituted for experience on the basis of one academic year of study (i.e., 36 weeks of substantially full-time study or 30 semester hours, or the equivalent) for the first 12 months of the required experience.

TO BE CREDITABLE, XEROX COPIES OF COLLEGE TRANSCRIPTS ARE REQUIRED

- 5. **KNOWLEDGES, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES**: The following knowledges, skills, and abilities will be used to determine the best qualified applicants from which selection will be made:
 - a. Knowledge of military pay regulations and procedures.
 - b. Ability to compute pay actions.
- c. Ability to apply knowledge of rules, regulations, laws, precedents and decisions to military pay work performance.
 - d. Ability to explain and interpret regulations.
 - e. Ability to make extensive record searches and determine corrective actions.
 - f. Ability to meet deadlines and work under pressure.
- g. Ability to make difficult interpretations of established guidelines to process pay inquiries.

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SELECTEE WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE ASSIGNED IN A COMPATIBLE MILITARY POSITION IN AFSC 6FOX1.

MALE SELECTEES BORN AFTER 31 DECEMBER 1959 WILL BE REQUIRED TO SIGN A PRE-APPOINTMENT CERTIFICATION STATEMENT FOR SELECTIVE SERVICE.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLYING: INDIVIDUALS MAY APPLY BY SUBMITTING AN OPTIONAL FORM (OF) 612, OPTIONAL APPLICATION FOR FEDERAL EMPLOYMENT; A RESUME OR ANY OTHER WRITTEN FORMAT. IF YOUR APPLICATION OR RESUME DOES NOT INCLUDE ALL THE ITEMS REQUESTED ON THE OF-612 AND THIS VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT, ALONG WITH A NARRATIVE DESCRIPTION OF HOW YOU MEET THE GENERAL AND SPECIALIZED EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS, YOU MAY LOSE CONSIDERATION FOR THE POSITION. IF YOU DESCRIBE MORE THAN ONE TYPE OF WORK (FOR EXAMPLE, CARPENTRY AND PAINTING, OR PERSONNEL AND BUDGET), WRITE THE APPROXIMATE PERCENTAGE OF TIME YOU SPENT DOING EACH. THE ABOVE FORMS ARE AVAILABLE AT THIS OFFICE AND ANY FEDERAL AGENCY.

SUBMIT APPLICATIONS TO: THE HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE (HRO), P. O. BOX 269101, SACRAMENTO, CA 95826-9101 (OR FOR EXPRESS MAIL: 9800 GOETHE ROAD, SACRAMENTO, CA 95826-9101). ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED IN THE HUMAN RESOURCES OFFICE (HRO) BY CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON THE CLOSING DATE INDICATED ABOVE. VETERANS PREFERENCE DOES NOT APPLY.

ALL APPLICATIONS MUST BE SIGNED & DATED

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS ARE NOT ACCEPTABLE AS ATTACHMENTS TO APPLICATIONS: PHOTOGRAPHS, COPIES OF POSITION DESCRIPTIONS, TRAINING CERTIFICATES, PERFORMANCE RATINGS (CIVILIAN OR MILITARY), AWARDS OR LETTERS OF APPRECIATION.

FEDERAL LAW PROHIBITS THE USE OF GOVERNMENT ENVELOPES, POSTAGE, OR FACSIMILE (FAX) FOR SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS.

PERMANENT CHANGE OF STATION (PCS) EXPENSES MAY NOT BE AUTHORIZED FOR THIS POSITION. AUTHORIZATION FOR PAYMENT OF PCS EXPENSES WILL BE GRANTED ONLY AFTER DETERMINATION IS MADE THAT PAYMENT IS IN THE BEST INTEREST OF THE CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD.

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